



DECLARATION OF INVENTOR STEVEN L. FORTE

FOR REISSUE PATENT APPLICATION

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As the below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address (preferred mailing address) and citizenship are as stated below next to my name.

I believe I am the original, first and joint inventor of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled: Gambling Game System and Methods, Serial No. 09/927,607, filed August 10, 2001.

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information known to me to be material to patentability as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations §1.56.

I believe the original patent to be wholly or partly inoperative or invalid, for reasons of the patentee claiming more or less than he had the right to claim in the patent.

At least one error upon which reissue is based is described as follows:
The claims of the original patent No. 5,934,998 are too narrow and the agent prosecuting the original patent failed to appreciate the full scope of the invention. Failure to claim the full scope of the invention has rendered the patent wholly or partly inoperative.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal at the City of New York, New York, on the 10th day of August, 2001.

STEVEN L. FORTE

By _____, Attorney-in-Fact

PRIOR FOREIGN APPLICATIONS:

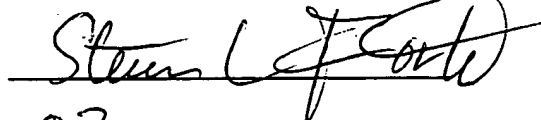
I hereby identify a foreign application upon which priority is claimed under 35 U.S.C. § 119: PCT Application Serial No. PCT/US95/12908, filed October 13, 1995.

I also identify Canadian Patent Application Serial No. 2,190,266 filed May 12, 1995, which was a counterpart to related U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 08/439,687 filed May 12, 1995.

I hereby declare that every error in the patent which was corrected in the present reissue application, and which is not covered by the prior oath(s) and/or declaration(s) submitted in this application, arose without any deceptive intention on the part of the applicant.

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statement may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued therefrom.

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